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A+ Dental Care Provides Free Dental Services to Over 60 Individuals in Need Over \$40,000 in free dental care donated during a Day of Giving

Roseville, CA – March 15, 2018 – "The Day of Giving is a great opportunity for me and my team to give back to our community. The Day of Giving event is a reminder that there is a need for dental care in our community [and it] allows us to give back to those less fortunate who may have obstacles accessing dental care. All the patients we see are very grateful for all we do. My team and I look forward to participating in future Day of Giving events. Thank you to the Smiles for Everyone Foundation for organizing this event." - Dr. Abdon Manaloto

On Saturday, March 10, volunteers throughout the <u>A+ Dental Care</u> offices in the Sacramento area gathered at the <u>Roseville office</u> on Coloma Way to provide free dental services to the low-income, under-insured local community. With 6 providers, 3 hygienists, and many support staff volunteering their time, the team was able to provide care for more than 60 individuals, amounting to over \$40,000 in donated dentistry. Procedures include <u>cleanings</u>, <u>extractions</u>, <u>fillings</u>, and <u>sealants</u>.

Volunteer providers include the five A+ Dental Care partners: Dr. Chris Cooper, Dr. Tim Herman, Dr. Abdon Manaloto, Dr. Kayla Nguyen, and Dr. Flaviane Petersen; as well as Dr. Lee Lo.

Patient Stories

Johny Comilang is a disabled veteran who is paralyzed on his left side and bound to a motor chair. He was very enthusiastic when scheduling his appointment, and maintained his great attitude throughout his time at the office. He said, "Everyone at the office was very polite and professional! I felt #1 to them!" The A+ Dental team was able to provide Johny with great dental care after not having been to a dentist in over two years.

Mark Jones is currently staying at the <u>Gathering Inn</u>, which is a non-profit organization that provides housing and support services for those who are working to get back on their feet and become active members of the community. Mark is overcoming a tough past and is very grateful for programs like this, which helps him move forward from the obstacles he has faced. Despite his past, and only having 4 teeth left, Mark has the most positive outlook on life, and was very appreciative of the care that the team provided for him.

The next <u>Smiles for Everyone Foundation</u> Day of Giving will be held at Bright Now! Dental in Lorain, Ohio on March 24, 2018.

About A+ Dental

<u>A+ Dental Care</u> is a rapidly growing group dental practice owned and operated by Herman Dental Corporation and affiliated with the dental support organization, <u>Smile Brands, Inc</u>. Since 1975, A+ Dental has been delivering quality care to Northern California residents. With five convenient locations, A+ Dental Care provides comprehensive general and specialty care to patients in the greater Sacramento area including the communities of Roseville, Lincoln, Rocklin and Folsom. Their mission is to create long-term patient relationships by making dental visits convenient, affordable and stress-free. A+ relies on Smile Brands to provide world-class business support services so they can focus on delivering highly personalized patient care. Learn more at <u>http://rosevilledentist.com/</u>

About the Smiles For Everyone Foundation

The Smiles for Everyone Foundation is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization with the mission of delivering smiles for everyone by providing free dental care for those in need, both at home in the U.S. and around the world. Since 2011, the Smiles for Everyone Foundation has delivered over 14,000 smiles and \$12 million in donated dentistry. The foundation currently supports programs which provide free dental care to those in need in Cambodia, Ghana, Laos, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Thailand and the United States. For more information or to make a donation, visit www.smilesforeveryone.org.

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